



CUSTER'S LAST STAND... provides the action-packed climax of "They Died With Their Boots On," now showing at the Grand Theatre through Saturday. Errol Flynn portrays Custer, in the film, which out-thrills fiction's most exciting pages. Co-starring with Flynn is lovely Olivia DeHavilland. Also on the Grand program is "Cadet Girl," featuring Carol Landis and George Montgomery, and Donald Duck in "The New Spirit," a Technicolor cartoon.

### Custer Film Exciting Drama

Next attraction at the Plaza theatre in Hawthorne, starting Saturday, will be "They Died With Their Boots On," latest in the exciting films of the old west to take its place on the impressive list of Warner Bros. productions which uses that colorful era for its setting. This picture stars Errol Flynn as General George Custer, telling the story of his life from the time of his entry to West Point until his memorable stand at the battle of Little Big Horn. All the tense drama and romance in his exciting life is captured in this epic film. It is the story of a man who lived, fought and loved with all the power his soul possessed.

The role of Custer is tailored to Flynn's measure. Charming Olivia de Havilland is co-starring with Flynn in the role of Beth Custer, his lovely wife who admired her husband's deeds but never lost track of the constant danger he faced.

### U. S. War Dead Honored at Sea



Services were held aboard U. S. warship for men killed in attack on Japanese-held Gilbert and Marshall Islands. U. S. casualties were light. (Official photograph.)

### Narbonne Grad Pledges Fealty of Jap-Americans

How one Japanese-American, now in Army service, looks at the situation confronting his people in this country is reported in the following letter received recently by Principal John L. Abbott of Narbonne High school:

"I'm a graduate of S'39, my name is George Wada. You probably have forgotten me, because of contact with so many students year in and year out. But as a graduate of your school I have always cherished the schooling that I have received at dear old Narbonne high.

"On Oct. 8, 1941, I was inducted into the United States Army. From Fort MacArthur I was sent to Fort Francis E. Warren to serve my 13 weeks of basic training in the Quartermaster Corp. Completing my basic training I was transferred to Camp Barkeley in Texas on Jan. 7, 1942, where now I am doing my duty faithfully at my regular camp.

"Although I am a Japanese by race, I am also an American citizen, so no matter what happens the United States is my country. The outbreak of this disastrous situation of the world has hit us harder than anything that ever happened. It has caused suspicion to be cast upon us, not that we have done anything wrong, but due to our race. But as a graduate of Narbonne high let me assure you that I only know one country—the United States of America—and I know every Japanese-American citizen, boy or girl, has the same feeling.

"Yours truly,  
(Signed)  
"PVT. GEORGE WADA."

Read our Want-Ads.

**AT PALM SPRINGS**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Garner and sons, Bill and Bob, spent the weekend at Palm Springs, and also visited Salton Sea.

**RECOVERING**  
Mrs. J. O. Bishop, who entered Hollywood hospital for surgery Sunday, is reported making a satisfactory recovery.

**IN SANTA ANA**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. Sidebotham of Rolling Hills, motored to Santa Ana Friday, where they visited at the E. H. Watts home.

**OBSERVE BIRTHDAY**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bowen, accompanied by the William Peer family, celebrated the birthday anniversary of Mrs. F. A. Zeller at Burbank Sunday.

**VISIT IN SAN DIEGO**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Calder were weekend visitors at the Robert Schluter home in San Diego.

**VISIT FRIENDS**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Fletcher, who recently moved to Santa Ana where he has accepted a position, were weekend guests of the Luke Nichols here.



### 22 MORE NEW F.H.A. HOMES TO BE BUILT IN BEAUTIFUL PARK KNOLLS

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"THE SHANGHAI GESTURE"  
GENE TIERNY—VICTOR MATURE  
COMPANION FEATURE  
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NOW THROUGH SATURDAY  
THE YEAR'S HIT SHOW!  
ERROL FLYNN, OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND  
"THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON"  
— ALSO —  
CAROL LANDIS, GEORGE MONTGOMERY  
"CADET GIRL"  
— PLUS —  
DONALD DUCK in "The New Spirit"  
SUNDAY—MONDAY—TUESDAY  
IT'S THE FUNNIEST HIT!  
BOB HOPE, VICTOR MOORE  
TECHNICOLOR PRODUCTION OF  
"LOUISIANA PURCHASE"  
— PLUS —  
FRANCES LANGFORD, KEN MURRAY in  
"SWING IT SOLDIER"  
WEDNESDAY—CASH NITE  
SHIRLEY ROSS in  
"SAILORS ON LEAVE"  
JOHNNY MACK BROWN in  
"MAN FROM MONTANA"

### GARDEN THEATRE

PHONE MEMO 4-2223  
THURSDAY—FRIDAY—SATURDAY  
"Rise and Shine"  
"Riders of Purple Sage"  
SUNDAY—MONDAY—TUESDAY  
"Keep 'em Flying"  
"One Foot in Heaven"  
WEDNESDAY—CASH NITE  
"Dreaming Out Loud"  
"South of Tahiti"

### D. Duck's Income Tax Movie Now at Grand Theatre

The much-discussed, hilariously funny Walt Disney short-subject, "The New Spirit," starring Donald Duck, in Technicolor, is now on the Grand theatre screen through Saturday with "They Died With Their Boots On" and "Cadet Girl."

The short-subject was produced by Disney in record time at the request of Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau. Its purpose is to encourage American people to pay their income taxes early. It went into the headlines of the country last week when Congress rebelled against paying Disney \$80,000 for the cost.

The cartoon is rated as funny as any in which Donald Duck has ever appeared.

**BAY STATE VISITOR**  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilbert are entertaining a cousin, Walter W. Dennis of Brighton, Massachusetts.

**IN BURBANK**  
Mrs. Forrest McKinley spent the weekend at the William Harter home in Burbank.

### Lomita Theatre

24333 NARBONNE AVE., LOMITA  
FREE AUTO PARK  
THURS., FRI., SAT. FEB. 19-20-21  
"KEEP 'EM FLYING"  
BRIAN DONOVAN—ANDY DEVINE  
"SOUTH OF TAHITI"  
SATURDAY MATINEE 2 P. M.  
"JUNGLE GIRL" No. 12  
KENO SAT. & WED.  
SUN., MON., TUES. FEB. 22-23-24  
WILLIAM POWELL—MYRNA LOY  
"SHADOW OF THIN MAN"  
CHARLES BICKFORD in  
"BURMA CONVOY"  
EXTRA ADDED SENSATION  
"WAR CLOUDS IN THE PACIFIC"  
4 DAYS STARTING WED., FEB. 25  
"BIRTH OF THE BLUES"  
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"Lady in the Morgue"  
Featuring  
PRESTON PORTER, PATRICIA BLISS  
— ALSO —  
"THE BLACK DOLL"  
With DONALD WOODS, MAN O'KEY  
Novelty: "WAR CLOUDS IN THE PACIFIC"  
MAGIC SCREEN FRIDAY  
OPEN 5:45  
Swing Shift Show Friday 11  
"LADY IN THE MORGUE"  
"THE BLACK DOLL"  
SAT. FEB. 21  
SUNDAY, MON., TUES. FEB. 22-23-24  
ERROL FLYNN, OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND  
"THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON"  
— AND —  
"MISS POLLY"  
Starring  
ZASU PITTS, FLIM HAMBURVILLE  
Cartoon: News  
"THEY DIED WITH THEIR BOOTS ON"  
— AND —  
"MISS POLLY"  
Show Starts 1:00 A. M.  
STARTING WED., FEB. 25  
SUN.—WEDNESDAY, ONLY  
"REMEMBER THE DAY"  
— AND —  
"HURRICANE SMITH"

### County to Put Americans on Vacated Farms

A plan for the establishment of American farmers on land in defense areas vacated by Japanese aliens, including approximately 2,000 acres in the Palos Verdes hills, was adopted Tuesday by the county board of supervisors on recommendation of the county defense council.

The supervisors appointed W. S. Rosecrans agricultural coordinator. Rosecrans, former Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce president, serving without pay, will have 14 field inspectors to aid him in the program, designed to prevent a shortage of vegetables in the Los Angeles market, one of the nation's largest.

Harold J. Ryan, county agricultural commissioner and chairman of the agricultural resources and production committee of the defense council, informed the supervisors that 3,000 acres already have been vacated by the exodus of Japanese farmers and that 2,000 of these acres are in the Palos Verdes hills.

Rosecrans and a few paid assistants will cooperate with federal officials in straightening out pertinent details such as acquiring titles, leases and obtaining equipment for farming the acreages.

Ryan and Harold W. Kennedy, executive director of the county defense council, said that a preliminary survey has shown that they will be able to obtain a sufficient number of American farmers to keep the land producing.

**BREAKFAST PARTY**  
Mrs. E. F. Hannebrink entertained at breakfast this week. Her guests were Mrs. R. R. Smith, Mrs. Phillips M. Brooks, and her daughter, Mrs. Joe Tavan.

**VISITING IN L. A.**  
Mrs. Lillian Robinson of 2417 Sonoma ave. left Monday for a two weeks' visit at the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Robinson, at Los Angeles.

**RECITAL DELAYED**  
Due to illness, pupils of Herbert Hay will be presented in a recital at Methodist church Friday, Feb. 27, at 8 p. m. instead of Feb. 20 as previously announced.

**GETS SECRETARY JOB**  
Miss Ruth Barnard left this week for San Diego where she has accepted a position as secretary to Fay V. Perry, dean of San Diego State College.

**CANADIAN VISITORS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Marsh arrived Tuesday from Ft. Colborne, Ontario, Canada, to visit at the W. H. Day and the William Day homes here.

### War Needs Money—YOURS!

This war calls for every ounce of energy, every dime and dollar we can muster for ships and planes and guns.  
Hit the enemy with a \$25 Bond. Hurt him with a \$50 Bond. Help to blow him sky-high with a \$100 or \$1,000 Bond.  
Don't delay—every hour counts. Buy United States Defense Bonds and Stamps TODAY.

### U. C. Man Says Ancient Greeks Used Advertising

BERKELEY—Advertising was a common practice among the ancient Greeks, says D. A. Amyx, lecturer and research associate in classics in the University of California.

Lacking radio, neon lights and newspapers, the ancients had to rely on the appeal of quality of goods.

For example, in the case of vases, the signature of the artist was considered a measure of its quality. A vase made and signed by a noted craftsman sold at a higher price than ordinary vases.

Dr. Amyx comments on advertising practices among the Greeks in a new publication of the University of California Press entitled "An Amphora With a Price Inscription." The publication is a detailed study of a vase from the Hearst collection at San Simeon.

The vase from the 6th century, has a price inscription on its surface. Amyx says that this is the earliest known price inscription of any kind on a Greek vase. Readable price markings, he points out, are few and occur later.

### BROTHER VISITS

A recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Batsch was his brother, August Batsch of Los Alamos.

### DINNER HOSTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Beecher entertained at dinner Thursday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Roger Gianville of Mason City, Iowa.

### EASTERN VISITOR

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grubb are entertaining her nephew, Herbert Harold Rittmiller of Akron, Ohio. The eastern visitor is also a guest of the Harold Rittmiller here.

### VISITS PARENTS

Miss May Haslam of Dos Palos spent several days last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Haslam.

### WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hannebrink entertained at their weekend guest their niece, Mrs. W. Grazer, and her daughter, Rochelle, of Manhattan Beach.

### NEBRASKA GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Brolliar arrived last Wednesday from Crete, Nebraska. They are houseguests of their nephew and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Myers at 2064 220th st.

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